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Ike Wins 1976 Stevenson 1244

Wilmington likes Ike. That was the decision of the 3286 voters who cast their ballots on November 4th. Eisenhower and Nixon received 1976 votes, to 1244 for Stevenson and Sparkman and 6 votes were cast for minority party candidates, with another total ot 62 votes apparently unable to make up their minds, as they did not vote for anyone in the Presidential column.

In other contests, Herter led Dever, by a small margin, and Whittier led Sullivan, for Lieut. Governor.

For President and Vice President	
Eisenhower and Nixon, Republican	1976
Hallinan and Bass, Peace Progressive	5
Hamblen and Holtwick, Prohibition	0
Hass and Emery, Socialist Labor	1
Stevenson and Sparkman, Democratic	1244
Blanks	62
For Governor	
Dever, Democratic	1456
Herter, Republican	1759
Gilfedder, Socialist Labor	5
Luscomb, Peace Progressive	5
Williams, Prohibition	3
Blanks	58
For Lieutenant Governor	
Sullivan, Democratic	1296
Whittier, Republican	1891
Ferry, Prohibition	5
Votana, Socialist Labor	8
Blanks	86
Secretary	
Cronin, Democratic	1452
Mullaney, Republican	1669
Ferry, Prohibition	16
Ingersoll, Socialist Labor	133
Treasurer	
Furcolo, Democratic	1353
Papalia, Republican	1751
Blomen, Socialist Labor	9
Ireland, Prohibition	29
Blanks	144
Auditor	
Buckley, Democratic	1582
Mintz, Republican	1544
Martin, Socialist Labor	12
Simmons, Prohibition	8
Blanks	140

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BAY STATE STEEL EXPANDS PRODUCTION

The Bay State Steel Company, Main Street have expanded production, and yesterday saw the first shipment of a new product from fast growing concern.

For some time now, the Bay State Steel has been known for the large production of paint pails, coming from their shop. Recently the firm took over the rest of the building, and expanded their facilities. New men, 25 of them, were hired, and a contract was made with the Navy to make fuse containers.

The first shipment of fuse containers, 34,000 of them, left the plant yesterday afternoon.

COMMITTEE DISCUSSES FEASIBILITY OF CHILDREN'S RECREATIONAL PROGRAM

William Healey, head of the Recreational Commission of Wakefield, spoke to a group of Wilmington citizens interested in better recreational facilities for the children of this town, on Monday night, at the home of E. Hayward Bliss, Glen Road.

Many Wilmington organizations were represented, including Mrs. John Russell, president of the Women's Club, Mrs. May Bliss, chairman of the Recreation Committee of the Woman's Club, Clifford Good, Supt. of Schools, Warren Willis, School Committee member, Larry Cushing, Physical Educational Director of the Wilmington Schools,, David Elfman, Wilmington Rotary Club, Mrs. Paula Rice, president of the PTA, Mrs. Phyllis Lawler, of the Wilmington Girl Scouts, and Allen Drugan of Glen Road, former chairman of the Wakefield Recreational Commission.

The meeting was told that interest had been expressed by several other civic organizations.

Healey spoke to the group ot his experiences, in Recreational activities in Wakefield. The Wakefield Commission, an official town body, was formed by a group of citizens who inserted an article into the Town Warrant, establishing the Commission.

The Commission in Wakefield, provides professional guidance for children's play, arts and crafts, and organized athletics, for children of ages 5 to 15. The Commission is composed of five persons, appointed by the Selectmen, who oversee and hire a director, and he in turn runs the pprogram, under their care and guidance.

The program in Wakefield, consists of organized play, etc., on six playgrounds, throughout the town. They operate on a budget of about $7,000 a year, to provide facilities, equipment and salaries for this program in a town of 20,000. The average number of children, who participate daily, is about 600. The program runs for eight weeks, each summer, and is designed to provide organized, supervised activities for the youngsters.

After hearing Healey, the group agreed to ascertain the sentiment of the town, regarding a program like the one presented for Wilmington, and, if the sentiment was favorable, to present the program as an article in the Town Warrant, for decision of the voters.

The committee would like to hear the reactions of townspeople, to such a program.

Mrs. May Bliss was elected temporary chairman of the committee, and Mrs. Paula Rice secretary.

Health Committee Appointed

Last September, in the Town Meeting, the town voted to have the Moderator appoint a committee of five persons, to study the provisions of Chapter 662 of the Acts of 1949. and to report to the Town, on progress and recommendations, at subsequent Town Meetings.

This vote, by the town, was to set up a Committee to investigate the Union Health Plan, so called, in order that the town may derive the best advantages possible, from the plan.

The Union Health Plan, which is now law, provides that every town and city in the Commonwealth be part of a Union Health Plan, by 1959, in order that matters of Public Health be handled on a larger basis than that of the average municipality.

David Elfman, Moderator of the Town of Wilmington, announceo the names of the five members of this committee, last week.

Dr. Gaius Harmon

Dr. Gaius Harmon, former Chairman of the Board of Health of Wilmington, was the first named to the committee. Born in the Congregational Parsonage, in Wilmington, Dr. Harmon received his MD from Boston University in 1909, and a degree of Master ot Public Health, from Harvard University, in 1914. He also studied in England, and in MIT.

Dr. Harmon taught medicine in Western Reserve University, in Ohio, for 20 years and was appointed medical advisor to the Health Commissioner of Chicago, in 1935. In 1937 he transferred to the City of Detroit, in a similar capacity and with administrative duties as well. At the end of return to the town of his birth.

In Wilmington, Dr. Harmon was appointed Chairman of the Board of Health, by acting Town Manager Harry Deming. Dr. Harmon did a lot to promulgate the present regulations for Public Health,

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NATIONAL EDUCATION WEEK

The Teacher's Club of Wilmington wishes to extend a cordial invitation to all parents of Wilmington school children and other, interested persons to attend the Opening Night Exercises, in observance of National Education Week, on Wednesday November 12th 1952 at 8:00 p.m. in the High School Cafeteria.

The guest speaker will be Miss Marguerit Gourville, Head of Teacher Training at Lowell Teacher's College, who will deliver a talk on Education, and National Education week.

Refreshments, hot coffee and doughnuts, will be served, and entertainment will be presented. The program is under the chairmanship of Mrs Mary Sayer, of the Maple Meadow School Faculty.

Thursday ond Friday, the 13th and 14th of November is to be Open House, in the Wilmington Schools. The teachers extend a cordial invitation to the parents and friends of the shool children to visit the shools at any time during these two days, between the hours of 8:20 a.m. and 2:15 p.m.

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SPEAKING OF OUR JUVENILES

Every week or so, there is an item in the Crusader reporting damage, which probably was caused by juveniles. We don't like to have to report that kind of item, and we contess that we frequently do not publish particular items of that type.

There is a good side, however, to the picture.

Halloween Day and Night passed without any appreciable damage, in Wilmington, and it is the Wilmington Juveniles who are responsible for this event.

The Student's Council, of the Wilmington High School, prepared a letter, to the students, which was read in an assembly, just before Halloween. We know that every student left the High School that day, with the knowledge of the cost of Halloween Pranks. We take off our hat to the Student Council. Theirs was an excellent job, well done.

There is still another item that we feel constramed to remark upon. The young people of the Methodist Church are responsible for this one.

Several weeks ago, the Priests of St. Thomas took these young people through St. Thomas Church, on a Sunday evening, and spent a considerable time, explaining the rites and beliefs of the Roman Catholic Church.

To these young people, and to the Priests of St. Thomas, we take off our hat. A rational approach, where the people of one belief are anxious to understand the meaning of another religion, is, in our estimation, something that can lead only to a better understanding of The Brotherhood of Man.

AN OPEN LETTER TO ALL STUDENTS IN WILMINGTON HIGH SCHOOL

How would you feel on November first, if your own mother or aunt or brother were a victim of a Halloween prank?

Do you think that our parents and townspeople would be willing to contribute to the Community Fund or to the Recreation center, if we show little respect for their efforts by vandalism?

American youths are faced with this challenge: that of using all their efforts to combat the growing evils of Vandalism.

Replacing broken windows and repairing damaged schools, and washing walls and windows smeared with lipstick, wax or paint is a waste of money and time. The money spent for these repairs could be used towards a new gymnasium or that new recreation center which we want.

Perhaps the police car that is out to remove some road block is wanted a few miles back where a serious accident has just occured. An elderly person who climbs a stepladder to remove paint marks from a building may fall and be fatally injured. Are you going to be the cause of a person's death due to a fall or to heart failure?

Your Student Council urges that you co-operate wholeheartedly in this matter so that there will be no deaths due to us, no cripples due to us, no loss of man power in our defense project due to us, and no loss of respect due to us.

Can we expect the townspeople to support our projects, if we can not respect their property?

"It's up to us"
Your Student Council

READERS' FORUM

LETTER FROM PAT CARBONE

October 28, 1952

Dear Folks:

I guess I should start this letter by saying I am sorry for not writing sooner, expressing my thanks for the wonderful things you are doing for the home town boys over here in Korea. It keeps a man's moral sky high to know the towns people are so thoughtful. I have been in the army for almost 2 years now and I have been receiving the "Wilmington Crusader" regularly.

Also since I have been in the army I have met men from almost every state in the 48 and I am proud to say that out all of them I was the only one to receive a Xmas package from my home town.

I have now been over in Korea 7 months and I don't know when I'll be home again. I can't set a definite date because of the way this point system is operated.

Well friends I guess I'll have to close for now leaving you with my most greatful thanks.

Yours very sincerely
Pat Carbone

My address is: Sgt. P. J. Carbone, R.A. 11-222-652 Co. C. 10 Engr. (c) Bn. 3rd Inf. Div. A.P.O. 468. c-o Postmaster, San Francisco, California.

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SCHOOL VOTED AGAIN

In a Town Meeting that was just short as possible, the people of Wilmington voted $529,000 for a new School, on Wildwood Street. In eighteen minutes six articles were voted upon, withont an extra, word or motion by any citizen. The meeting was called to order, Oct. 30th., 8 p.m. by the Moderator, David Elfman. Inasmuch as a quorum was not present, Mr. Elfman called a recess until a quorum should arrive.

At 8:09 the meeting was again called to order. Selectman Black moved to dispense with the reading of the Warrant.

E. Hayward Bliss, Chairman of the School Building Committee, moved Article 1, to rescind the vote of Sept. 29th for a new school on Wildwood Street. The Moderator called for a standing vote, and it was declared unanimous, with 82 persons voting.

E. Hayward Bliss then moved Article 2, for $529,000 for the purchase of land, and the building and equipping of a school on Wildwood Street. $2,636.36 was to be a transfer from available funds, $14,363.70 was to be transfered from the High School Construction Account, and $512,000 was to be borrowed, on bonds not to exceed 20 years. The Finance Committee, through its chairman, Herbert Barrows, recommended favorable action, not only on this article, but on every article in the warrant. A standing vote was called for, and 90 persons voted in favor, with none opposed. The vote was declared unanimous.

Article 3, to rescind the previous vote for the purchase of land on Wildwood Street, was moved by Mr. De Felice, of the School Building Committee. A unanimous vote was declared by the Moderator, after it was announced that 86 persons had voted in favor, and none against.

Article 4, to rescind the previous vote of Sept. 29th for the purchase of the rear lot of land, on Wildwood Street, was moved by Mr. Shepherd of the School Committee. Again the townspeople rose wordlessly to their feet, and again there was a unanimous vote, with 92 voting.

Article 5, to authorize the purchase of the front lot, from the Barbas Brothers, for $8,600 was moved by Nicholas De Felice, and voted unanimously, by 92 voters.

Article 6, to authorize the purchase of the rear lot of land, from Strout and Wing, for $3,000 was voted, after being moved by Alan Shepherd 92 voters rose wordlessly to their feet, and approved this article. The business of the meeting being over, Selectman Black took the floor for 30 seconds, to thank the people of Wilmington for the good nature, and patience, in helping with the meeting. "Believe me," said Black, "The Officials of Wilmington are not entirely at fault, for what happened." "We applaud your coming here!"

The meeting adjourned at 8:27, after having voted 6 articles in 18 minutes.

THE LAND COST $500 MORE

Unmentioned, and perhaps unnoticed, in the Town Meeting, was that the land for the School site cost $500 more, by vote of the town, than it had been for the previous meeting.

At the time that the School Building Committee made their agreement for the purchase of the land owned by Strout and Wing, it was agreed that Messrs Strout and Wing should get a price per acre that would compare with the price that was to be paid to the Barbas Brothers. The price was to be determined by the "70-30" formula, by which a differential is arrived at, for value of front lots vs rear lots, in real estate.

Thus, if the Barbas Brothers were to get $7500, the Strout and Wing land could be bought for $2,500. Strout and Wing, who cooperated very nicely with Town Officials, consented to this formula

As is well known, the Barbas Brothers got more than the $7500. They got $8600, as a matter of fact, but the people of the town voted only $2500 for Strout and Wing Land, one reason being that this was the price that the Finance Committee wanted to set on the lot.

Strout and Wing refused to accept the $2500. They pointed out that they had made an agreement, on a basis of percentages. If the town had succeeded in buying the land from Barbas Brothers for less than $7500, then the town could have had the land from Strout and Wing for less than $2500. However, the Barbas Brothers got more than their $7500, and Strout and Wing thought that $3000 was the right price.

The Finance Committee agreed, in a meeting the Tuesday night before the Town Meeting.

SHOOTING REPORTED IN DORCHESTER STREET AREA

Dorchester Street residents reported on Monday morning that they could hear sounds of shooting. The Wilmington police were unable to investigate, at the time, because the police truck was on a different assignment, and not available.

MICHAEL MEADE GRANTED TAXI LICENSE

Michael Meade, of 51 Aldrich Street, was granted a license, Monday night, by the Board of Selectmen, to operate a taxi in the East Boston Airport area. Meade is a returned veteran of the Korean War.

GET OUT THE VOTE CAMPAIGN

The Boy Scouts and Cub Scouts of Wilmington did a wonderful job, on their Get out the Vote Campaign, Saturday. The Cubs began at 8:30 a.m. and the Scouts at 10:-30 a.m., hanging "Liberty Bells" on the doorknobs of Wilmington. It is believed that at least 90 percent of the homes in Wilmington were visited, and a special delegation went over to the Martin's pond area, to visit the six homes there.

BICYCLE CLUB PARADE

The Bicycle Club of the Wilmington Boy Scouts had their own parade, Saturday afternoon, in the Get out the Vote Campaign. 15 boys, with their bicycles decorated in red white and blue, made a fine appearance, as they cycled through the town. Cubmaster Gove led the parade, with his car, going at five mile an hour speed, and Troop Committee Rosa, in his car, followed behind the boys.

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A NEW CITIZEN

The Rev. and Mrs. Otis A Maxfield announce the birth of a baby girl, Susan Reed Maxfield, at the Winchester Hospital on Wednesday, Oct. 29, 1952.

SCHOOL INSURANCE POLICIES

The Board of Selectmen have asked the Finance Committee to transfer $2,267.11 for additional insurance for Wilmington Schools, on a three year basis.

Last spring the School Committee had asked for $8,000 for this item. They were persuaded to cut this sum to $4,000 on the promise that if additional money was needed, it would be provided. It has now been shown that $2,167.11 is needed and the Selectmen have requested the transfer.

SENTENCED TO HOUSE OF CORRECTION

A South Tewksbury man was sentenced to fivt days in the Billerica House of Correction, by Judge Henchey, of the Woburn Court. He had been picked up by the Wilmington police, and charged with drunkness, a charge to which he pleaded guilty.

N. E. TELEPHONE PLANS BUILDING ON MAIN STREET

At a hearing for the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, held by the Board of Appeals, Monday night, Charles H. Vincent and Edward H. Roemer of the Telephone Company presented plans for a building to be erected on the East side of Main Street, about 250 feet North of Cross Street.

The building which will be small, will be on a triangular lot of land of about 19,000 square feet, the Board was told. Materials for the building will be cinder blocks which will be painted white.

The building will hold relay equipment, consisting of amplifying apparatus, and batteries, and will normally be unattended. The grounds will be kept in attractive condition, and the building should be attractive, the Board was told.

The purpose of the station is to relay messages, from one point to another, and the site of the building is pretty well chosen by the needs of the apparatus, the Board was told.

There was no opposition. The Board of Appeals took the case under advisement.

CHARLES INGALLS

Latest address of Charles Ingalls of Grove Avenue is 1st Lt. C.W. Ingalls, 0169967, 81st Cml S.G.Co. APO 179, New York.

BILLERICA—WILMINGTON TOWN BOUNDS DISCUSSED

Several years ago, some of the town bounds between Wilmington and Billerica were destroyed in the vicinity of the airport. IIt has been a matter for discussion since then. The Selectmen read a letter Monday night, from the Billerica Selectmen, in which the officials of that town have stated that they understood that Wilmington was going to take care of the matter.

According to the understanding of the Wilmington Selectmen, the matter should be handled by the Senior town and then that town should be compensated, if necessary, by the Junior town.

This is their understanding of the law, and as Billerica is 75 years older than Wilmington, the Wilmington Selectmen feel that they would be acting contrary to the law to institute action.

Their belief will be communicated to the Billerica Selectmen.

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Fingold, Republican	1980
Blomen, Socialist Labor	4
Rand, Prohibition	14
Blanks	104
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Kennedy, Democratic	1414
Ingersoll, Socialist Labor	1
Shaw, Prohibition	2
Blanks	43
Congressman	
Roger, Republican	2596
Cullen, Democratic	619
Hall, Prohibition	4
Blanks	67
Councillor Sixth District	
Casey, Democratic	1250
Viola, Republican	1895
Blanks	141
Senator, Seventh Middlesex District	
Evans, Republican	1859
Irvin, Democratic	1270
Blanks	157
Representatives in General Court (vote for two)	
Tanner, Republican	1976
Terwilliger, Democratic	1340
Wilkinson, Republican	1433
Blanks	1923
Clerk of Courts, Middlesex County	
Hughes, Republican	1819
Sullivan, Democratic	1322
Blanks	145
Register of Deeds Middlesex Northern District	
Brown, Republican	1942
Finnegan, Democratic	1213
Blanks	130
County Commissioners, (Vote for two)	
Andrew, Republican	1754
Cullen, Democratic	1252
Applin, Republican	1355
Brennan, Democratic	1079
Blanks	1132
Question No. 1 Sale of Liquor	
All Alcoholic Beverages, Yes	873
All Alocholic Beverages, No	1983
Blanks	430
Wines and Beer, Yes	921
Wines and Beer, No	1892
Blanks	473
Package Stores, Yes	2452
Package Store, No	577
Blanks	257

The number of votes cast, 3286, constitute an all time high record for the Town of Wilmington, and the percentage of votes cast, to those eligible is also extremely high, 91.2%, there being about 3600 names in the Registrars List of Voters.

Election Sidelights

THE FIRST VOTE

15 voters, all men, were at the polls, at 6 a.m. when they were declared open. Some of them had the avowed purpose of casting the first ballot, while others merely wanted to vote before they went to work.

Alden N. Eames, of Shawsheen Avenue, a Civil Engineer, was the first person to cast a ballot in this election.

THE LAST VOTE

The last vote was cast at 7:57 by William Trear, of 611 Woburn Street. Mr. Trear was the only voter in the building, at the time he cast his ballot.

NO CROWDS

Although an unprecedented number of votes were cast, the High School cafeteria where the voting took place was never crowded. This was the first national election in which there was no line of voters extending from the door, waiting their turn.

THE TREND OF THE VOTE

Most of the blocks of 50 ballots, by which number they are counted, showed approximately the same number of votes for Eisenhower and the same number of votes for Stevenson, with Eisenhower leading. The exception was during the 6:30 to 7 p.m. rush, when the trend was somewhat stopped, if not reversed at times, by a greater preponderance of Stevenson votes. There wasn't enough, however, to overcome Eisenhower's lead.

NON STOP WORKERS

Kenneth M. Lyons, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, was the presiding officer. He opened the polls at 6 a.m., and closed the polls at 8 p.m., and stayed until the final was announced, at 4:30 a.m. At no time did Lyons leave the building, during this time. Mary Gilligan, Town Clerk, worked the same as Mr. Lyons.

THE LAST TWO MINUTES

The last two minutes were very very long. Everyone had been watching the electric clock on the wall of the cafeteria, closely, for the second hand would sweep past 8 p.m. Suddenly it was noticed that the clock had stopped, at 7:58, and there was a hasty checking of pocket watches.

Town Clerk Mary Gilligan was probably the only person who was not flustered. She derided the idea of the clock being wrong, but in a gentle manner. It seems that the clock is corrected hourly, from Washington. It had run a little fast and had consequently stopped for about 30 seconds, after which it resumed operations, to every ones relief, and just as Mrs. Gilligan predicted.

KENNEDY'S GONE TO THE DOGS

Miss Eleanor Grimes, Chairman of the School Board, stopped in after the polls were closed, as she was leaving to visit the Kennedy headquarters in Boston. Miss Grimes had her Boxer dog, which was wearing a saddle blanket, adorned with Kennedy signs. Miss Grimes was greeted with good humored remarks about "Kennedy's" gone to the dogs.

WASTE PAPER DRIVE?

The lawn of the High School was littered with papers, after the election was over. Candidates workers had given out thousands of cards and posters, which were scattered to the four winds. Someone suggested facetiously that one of the local clergymen could organize a paper drive, right on the High School grounds.

GIRL SCOUTS

The Girl Scouts of Troop 101 met in the Public Library, on November 3rd. Carole Giglio, of Ballardvale Street was welcomed into the troop, and Barbara Clark was elected to be Game Chairman. The Girls worked on the Dancing Merit Badge.

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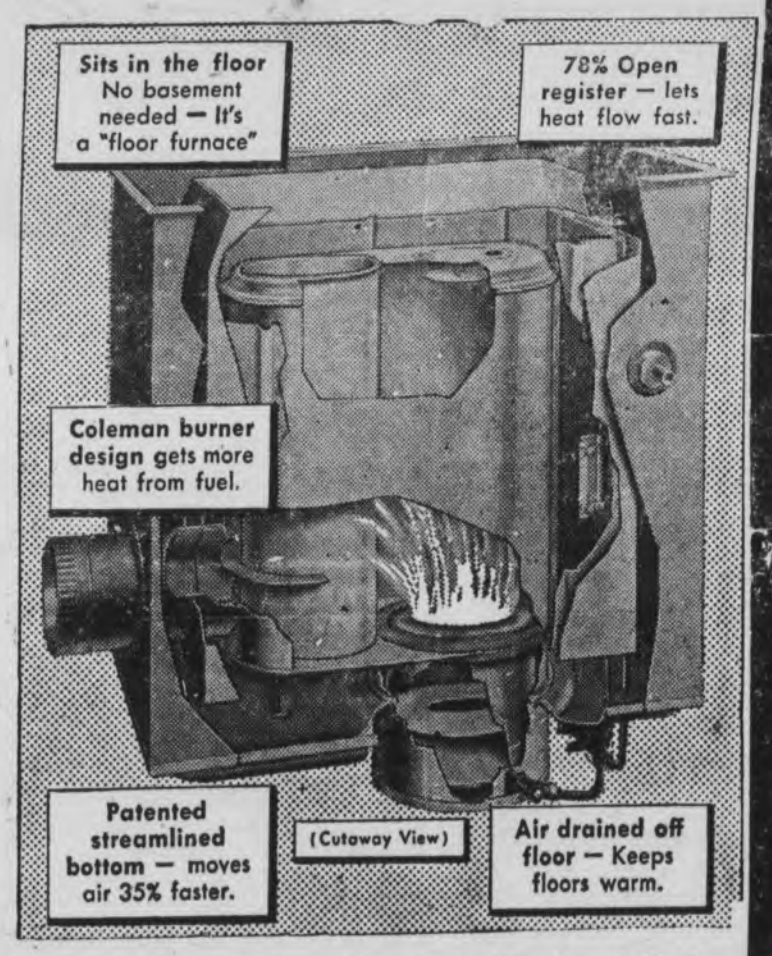

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Down in the southern part of Wilmington, near where Wilmington Woburn and Burlington meet, is the Bell Farm. A farm of about 126 acres, devoted almost entirely to dairy farming, it dates back to the very earliest days when this part of the country was first settled.

Three quarters of a mile from Mill pond, and just about as far from Cold Spring, the site of the first tannery in the area where Moses Cummings tanned leather back in the 1650's the Bell Farm was in existance long before the Revolution. The present building dates from 1831, when Joseph Bell had a home built, for about $1000. Bell furnished the material, and two men from Woburn built the house.

Millard Pipes, the present owner of the Bell Farm, and the operator and owner of the Bell Farm dairy, has had the farm now for about 15 years. 38 head of cattle, produce milk which is sold in Wilmington, and surrounding towns.

The Bell Farm may best be described as a land of rolling hills, with the Cold Spring Brook flowing between the hills, and making a large swamp, as it finds its way to a junction with the Maple Meadow Brook, on the lower reaches of the farm.

Pipes, anxious to have as much grazing land as possible, has always disliked the rolling hills, and swamp, neither of which have furnished good grazing.

Some years ago, the Department of Agriculture set up a program for soil conservation, through-out the country. Pipes heard of this, and visited the Concord Office, where arrangements were made for a survey of the Bell Farm.

United States Soil Conservation Service surveyors came to the Bell Farm, and plotted the contours. The result, now being translated into practical terms, is a remaking of the worst parts of the farm into good grazing land.

The "Home Lot," of the farm, about 29 acres, has three hills of gravel, and a swamp. The soil on the hills has been pushed aside, for later use, and Pipes is now selling the gravel, which will eventually amount to about 60 thousand yards, and getting rid of the hills in the process.

After the gravel is gone, a ditch is to be dug, about 30 feet wide, straight through the "Home Lot." At the upper end of the ditch, a farm pond, covering about 5,000 square feet is planned. This pond will be designed to retain water which falls on the upper part of the farm during the summer. From the pond the ditch will lead straight to the junction of the two brooks.

Another pond of lesser area, has been made on the lower reaches of the farm. This second pond, which is not on Cold Spring Brook is in a low spot on the farm, and is to be used to provide the cattle with drinking water.

The project will probably take several more years to complete It is based on a five year plan, set up by the Conservation surveyors. When it is finished, the "Home Lot" of the Bell Farm will have an entirely different look. Where before were hills and swamps will be level grazing ground, covered with loam, and seeded with Canary Grass, Alfafa, and Ladino Clover. Part of the program calls for liming, under the same plan. There will be quite a difference, in a few more years. Mosquitoes, too, will have disappeared in large numbers, because of the drainage of the swamp.

A State Surveyor, not connected with the Conservation Service, had occasion to inspect the Bell Farm last week. He was very favorably impressed with the fact that, although gravel was being taken, the method was such that there would be no unsightly and valueless "gravelpit" land, when the job will be finished.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT
Middlesex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of **Edith Barbara Grossmann** late of Wilmington in said County, deceased.

The executors of the estate of **Louis C. Grossmann** who was the executor of the estate of said deceased has presented to said Court for allowance the first account of said executor.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Cambridge before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the eighteenth day of November 1952, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John C. Leggat, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twentieth day of October in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty-two.

John J. Butler, Register.

O-22-29-N-5

NOTICE OF SALE
Middlesex, ss.
Lowell September 19, 1952

By virtue of an execution issued from the Fourth District Court of Eastern Middlesex, within our County of Middlesex on the eighth day of September, A.D. 1952, in the suit of Liberty Mutual Insurance Company versus Frank Russo, 2 St. Paul Street, Wilmington, I have this day seized and taken and shall sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder on Saturday 29th day of November, 1952 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at my office, 53 Central Street, in said Lowell, all the right title and interest which the said Frank Russo had not exempt by law from attachment or levy on the seventeenth day of December A.D. 1951 at 9 o'clock A.M. that being the time when the same was attached on the original writ by Grace K. Jennings, Deputy Sheriff, in and to the following described real estate to wit: A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situate in Wilmington, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, comprising lots 74 and 75 as shown on a plan of land known as "Pinegrove Park" dated 1909 recorded with Middlesex North District Deeds, Plan Book 26, Plan 25, said lots being described together as follows: Southeasterly by St. Paul Street, fifty (50) feet; Southwesterly by lots 70, 71, 72, and 73 shown on said plan, one hundred (100) feet; Northwesterly by lots 62 and 63 shown on said plan, fifty (50) feet; and Northeasterly by lot 76 shown on said plan, one hundred (100) feet, containing five thousand (5000) square feet according to said plan. For the grantor's title see deed to her from John D. Cooke dated April 9, 1945, recorded with said Deeds Book 1021, Page 502.

Loring R. Kew, Jr.
Deputy Sheriff

O-29-N-5-12

STANDING OF THE HOLY NAME BOWLING LEAGUE
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G Smith	86.7
A. Quandt	86.0
A. MacMullin, Jr.	85.9
D. O'Connell	85.6

ARTHUR A. ROBINSON IN THE FAR EAST

With the 7th Infantry Div. in Korea—PFC Arthur A. Robinson of Wilmington, has been keeping warm with a new kind of stove in Korea.

A 7th Infantry Division artillery man, he was among the first soldiers to receive one of the Army's all-fuel heaters designed especially for use in tents, bunkers and other field shelters. The stove can be used with coal, wood, charcoal, fuel oil, diesel oil or gasoline.

Robinson arrived in Korea last April and is a switchboard operator in Service Battery of the 57th Field Artillery Battalion. He entered the Army in April 1951.

B & M REPORTS DAMAGE AT SILVER LAKE

The Boston and Maine Railroad reports that over 100 lights have been broken, in the vicinity of Silver Lake Railroad Station, during the last month.

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TOWN NOTES

WEATHER

The weather note of the last week, is snow. On Tuesday, the 28th of October, snow fell for about half an hour, in Wilmington. The ground did not become blanketed. No person was reported as having been lost in the storm, nor were there any cases of St. Bernard dogs being called out.

The snow amounted to .05 inches of rainfall, by the records of the North Wilmington pumping station, and that was the only rainfall of the week.

Total rainfall for the month of October, 1.50 inches.

THE ELECTION

We thought that perhaps some of our readers might be interested in past statistics, so we broke open our 1948 Town Report. That was the year of the famous One Man Hurricane, Harry Truman. 2871 votes were cast, in Wilmington, that year, on the 2nd of November. Truman and Barkeley got 1211 votes, Dewey and Warren 1277 votes, with Wallace third, (24 votes), and 9 being cast for other candidates.

The Presidential ballots seemed to indicate that the town was Republican, but any member of the GOP that would find comfort in those figures would be sadly disappointed with the figure for Governor, for Dever beat Bradford, in Wilmington, by 1401 votes to 1117. Then, when it came to Lieut. Governor, Wilmington's voters turned around again and voted Republican, Coolidge getting 1354 votes to 1124 for Jeff Sullivan, the Democratic candidate.

The Republican trend continued through the various offices by about 7 votes to every 6 for the Democratic candidates. A notable exception was Thomas J. Buckley, Democratic candidate for Auditor, who polled 1442 votes to the 959 of Russell A. Wood, the Republican candidate. Buckley has always been a popular man, in Wilmington.

As always has been the case, Congresswoman Edith Nourse Rogers received a tremendous endorsement, getting a total of 2191 votes.

This year, too, saw the voters getting for the two platoon system, for Wilmington's Fire Department. There were 1532 Yes votes and 550 No votes.

TORCH LIGHT PARADE NEXT MONDAY

Wilmington is to have a torch light parade, next Monday, just before the game with its traditional rival, Tewksbury. The Tewksbury game, on Armistice Day, at the Town Memorial Field is almost always the game of the year.

The Parade, which is sponsored by a group of enthusiasts for Wilmington's sports, is expected to include a large number of friends and relatives of the football team, as well as well-wishers and the team itself.

It is scheduled to start about 6:30 p.m. Monday, at the High School, go up Church Street to the Center, and then back to the School, via Middlesex Avenue, if present plans mature.

Tewksbury's team will prove the mettle of the Wilmington team next Tuesday. Both Wilmington and Tewksbury have been about the equal of each other, throughout the year. Both teams had the same score to report, against such teams as Dracut and Chelmsford.

We have heard it said that man for man the Wilmington team and the Tewksbury team match up very well but that the Tewksbury boys seem to have better coordination.

NEW POLITICAL PHRASE

We heard a political phrase, last week that we liked. Daniel F. O'Brien of Somerville, a candidate for re-election to the State Senate, described, in the Somerville Journal and Press, what he calls the "3 Cent Junket."

O Brien was describing the habit of some of Massachusetts politicians' who find it necessary to go to Florida, or other nice vacation spots, on the Taxpayer's expense, for the ostensible purpose of investigating something for the State.

O'Brien, who was the head of a committee formed to make a study of the laws of the other 47 states, stated that under the circumstances he could have traveled extensively. Instead, he wrote letters, got his information and turned it in.

He described his letter writing as a "3 Cent Junket," and recommended it to the other legislatures in the Commonwealth.

Senator O'Brien seems to have an idea there. Perhaps, if we are ever in Somerville, we shall stop in and make the gentleman's acquaintance.

FOOTBALL BANQUET

The night of December 13th has been chosen for Wilmington's Annual Football Banquet. Plans are now in the formative stage. The citizens committee that is to sponsor the banquet is to meet on November 17th, at 8 p.m. in the Roman House to formulate plans.

THE GLEN ROAD BUMP

We are happy to report that the new railroad crossing, as laid out by the Boston and Maine Railroad on Glen Road, has considerably improved matters.

There is still a slight bump, and no one has any cause now to drive recklessly, just because of the improvement, but we have noticed that the old THUMP, followed by a sinking feeling in the pit of the stomach has disappeared.

HALLOWEEN VERY QUIET AND ORDERLY

Halloween Eve, in Wilmington was quiet and orderly. Large groups of youngsters were on the street as the evening started, going from door to door on a "treat or trick" basis, collecting candy and goodies in paper bags, which they carried. Most of these children, who were quite young, were off the streets by 9 p.m.

The Wilmington Police, Fire Department, Highway Department, and Water Department were out, in their trucks to prevent damage. The Town Manager, too, was out, in his car, and radio communications kept all advised of any trouble. Special police were assigned to several potential danger spots, and the custodians of the various schools were at the various schools.

Police report that a few road blocks were attempted, a few hydrants opened, and a few other similar pranks attempted, none of which developed into any danger, and all of which were easily taken care of.

NO MORE TAR AVAILABLE

TM Cushing told the Selectmen Monday night that as a result of the natural gas lines coming to New England that there was no more street tar on the market.

This tar was formerly a by product of the manufacturer of gas, which manufacture has practically been discontinued.

The result, the TM said, will be that the streets of this area will now be paved with asphalt, rather than tar.

RE-LOCATION OF CROSS ST.

Cross Street re-location, over which there has been much contention for several years, is to start on November 5th, the TM told the Selectmen at their Monday night meeting. The adjoining landowners have all been satisfied on the landtaking, and everybody is in agreement, acording to the TM.

BUS STOP SIGNS TO BE ERECTED

Town Manager Cushing is having Bus Stop Signs erected, at the major points where the school busses stop, in order to properly warn motorists.

Middlesex, ss.

PROBATE COURT

To all persons interested in the estate of **Teresa P. Lucozzi** formerly **Teresa P. Calendonia** sometimes called **Theresa P. Caledonia** and **Thresa P. Lucozzi** late of Wilmington in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by **John B. Lucozzi** of Boston in the County of Suffolk praying that he or some other suitable person, be appointed administrator with the will annexed of said estate.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Cambridge before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-fifth day of November 1952, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John C. Leggat, Esquire, First Judge of said Court this twenty-ninth day of October in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty-two.

John J. Butler, Register

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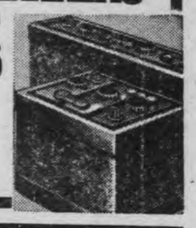

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600x16	10.50	7.88	7.35	7.00
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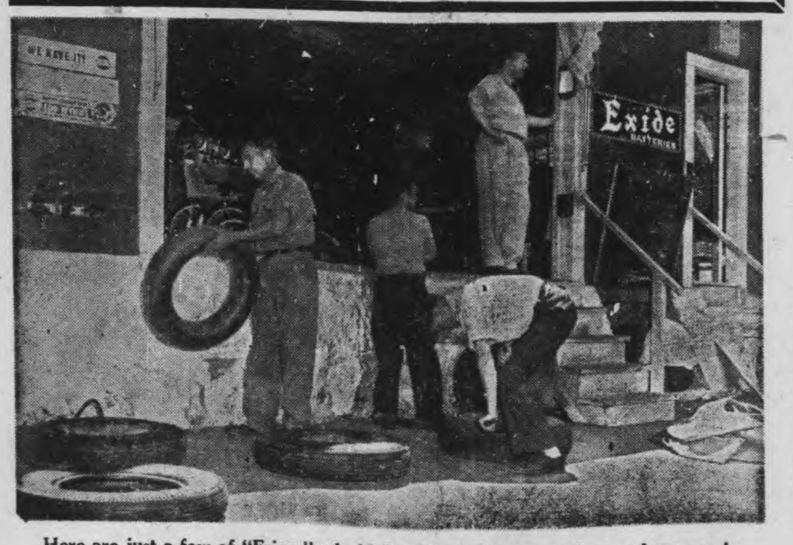

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THE MOUNTAIN GOAT

The mountain goat is living proof that American sportsmen are good sports, says the National Wildlife Federation.

This likeable (Old Man of the Mountain) is a relatively easy target for modern high powered rifles with telescopic sights, yet there are nearly as many today as there were in early times. Modern hunters want hard-to-get trophies. Furthermore, outdoorsmen and mountaineers have developed a great admiration for the courage of the white goat. It never runs from sudden danger, but trots off with solemn dignity. Its bearing, white hair and chin whiskers command respect. It is not pugnacious, but will fight for a mate, and stand its ground to death when need be to defend itself or its young. With dagger-like horns it has held its own against a pack of wolves, hunting dogs or even the ferocious grizzly bear.

Mountain goats are comparatively abundant in British Columbia, and their territory extends south into Washington, Idaho, Montana, and north through the Yukon into Alaska. They dwell by choice high above timberline in a bleak land of scant vegetation, cutting winds, and the most dramatic scenery in our hemisphere. Even in mid-winter they are loath to descend as other animals do to the valleys where food and shelter are plentiful. They survive on lichens, moss and alpine growth that can be uncovered among the wind-swept rocks.

A thick coat of perpetually white wool, like fine cashmere is protection against the bitterest weather, White reflects the heat of summer sun and is camouflage during the long snow season. The nanny and billy coat look alike, both having horns about nine inches long. Although those of the female are more slender, the world's record head with 12 and a half inch horns is that of a nanny.

Mountain Goat

Early explorers often referred to the mountain goat as a small white buffalo and the resemblance is considerable. Like the bison its shoulders are high, head low, neck short and there is a beard of long hairs on the chin. But it is not a buffalo. In fact, it is not a goat. The neck of a true goat is rather long and head held high. Scientists tell us it actually is a goat-like antelope, like the chamois of Asia, having no close relatives in America.

The goat stands three and a half feet at the shoulder and weighs up to 276 pounds. It mates in the fall and is probably monogamous. The kid, born six months after breed-thirteen and one half inches tall, can stand 10 minutes after birth, jumps in 30 minutes and at one month is an able climber.

Stories of harrowing climbs of the mountain goat are legion. It can outdo the cougar and even the nimble mountain sheep. Hunters tell of watching in rapt admiratoin as a goat, like a (human fly) on a skyscraper, works its way across what appears a sheer cliff. The men held their fire.

Congratulations, says the National Wildlife Federation, to sports men like hunters who have spapred this stout-hearted (Old Man Of The Mountains).

Cats may have nine lives, but they are just as susceptible to certain viruses as are other animals and human beings. Veterinarians report that three types of viruses in particular may give cats a hard time. They are the viruses which cause feline distemper, infectious enterities, and influenza. Because there is some similarity between the symptoms for all three diseases, pet owners can easily confuse them. Danger signals include sudden digestive upsets, vomiting and difficulty in breathing. In all three diseases early diagnosis and treatment are especially important.

THE SURF SCOTER

"What are they?" Mac shouted, his voice scarcely audible above the pounding of the surf. From far up the coast an irregular flock of chunky black birds was flying toward us, following the curves of the shoreline as though reticent to cross a single cape. Must be scoters, I mused, but which one of the three?

Soon they were among the swells not far from us. Even at a distance we could see them hit the water belly-first and play along a moment with dark wings elevated like gulls. Surf scoters! No other ducks will land like that. Though inconspicious, these are among the common off-shore birds to winter along the Atlantic and Pacific coasts and on the Great Lakes from mid-September to the end of May.

Through the spotting scope we confirmed our judgement. It was a flock of adults. We could distinguish the Roman-nose profile and a bit of red on the thick bill. The all black body, white forehead and nape of the male were clearly visible: No wonder folks call them skunk-heads. Coot is another popular nickname. Although this 20-inch sea duck is much larger that the true coot, it is dark like that 15-inch quiet-water bird. The female scoters (rhymes with motor) were brown with a dark crown and light patches behind and before the eyes.

The flock drifted in among the white-topped breakers. These fellows were as much at home here as in the smoother water. As a wave crest curved high above one, about to plunge down upon it, the duck up-ended with an awkward splashing of wingsh and disappeared, to pop up like a bit of driftwood on the other side.

There is nothing clumsy about the surf scoter under water, however. Its body is stoutly built to withstand great pressures; it feeds commonly at depths to 40 feet. Often it dives when wounded or to escape danger and will even plunge directly from flight. Blue mussels are its major food, but it also eats other mollusks, crustaceans, sea plant and incests. Studies have shown, however that it does no appreciable harm to shell fisheries. Because the adult takes only about 12 per cent plant food, its flesh is rank and unpalatabdle. Consequently it is not taken by duck hunters.

Few men have ever seen the nest of the surf scoter. It is skillfully hidden among the tall vegetation of treacherous swamps far up in Northwest Territory, in northern Yukon and northern Alaask beyond the Arctic Circle to the Beufort Sea. The nest, made of grasses, is well lined with down to keep the clutch of eggs warm in that chill country. There are usually five to nine pinkish or pale buff eggs.

On land, man's normal habitat, this diving duck is clumsy and ill at ease. Its world is one of spume and breaking seas, green ocean depths and wind blown skies. It may not be good eating, says the National Wildlife Federation, but the surf scoter is a most interesting fellow to have around.

Screwworms are primarily a livestock problem. However, they may also attack pets which are allowed to remain outdoors, if the pets happen to have wounds, scratches, or cuts. Dogs and cats are susceptible to this parasite problem. It's another reason why all injuries and abrasions in pets should receive prompt treatment.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Middlesex, ss.
PROBATE COURT

To all persons interested in the estate of **Charles E. Miller** late of Wilmington in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court, praying that **Helen Frances Miller** of Wilmington in said County, be appointed administratrix of said estate, without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Cambridge before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-eighth day of November 1952, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John C. Leggat, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-seventh day of October in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty-two.

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WEINBERG'S START A HALLOWEEN CUSTOM

Weinberg's Store, in Wilmington, have started what is to be an annual custom, on Halloween.

Meyer Weinberg, the owner of the store bearing his name, reasoned that if children want to soap up store windows, on Halloween, that they should be allowed to do so.

Weinberg took advantage of the habit, by offering a prize, for the best soap picture to be drawn, on his windows, last Saturday

The children of Wilmington cooperated, enthusiastically. Saturday morning about 60 children were present to try their artistic talents. Three judges, all well known to the children, were present — Dean Cushing, the Town Manager, Paul Lynch, Chief of Police and George Svanos, the unofficial Mayor of Wilmington.

The work produced was excellent. Inside the store Weinberg could see the judges going back and forth, trying to decide. It was evident that their task was difficult.

Weinberg cut the Gordian knot, for such it had become by announcing to the Judges that he would give two prizes instead of one.

Joyce Corum, of North Wilmington, was awarded First Prize, which consisted of a $5 purchase order, for her drawing. She had drawn a head of a horse, very lifelike, and very well done.

Judy Gratcyk, of Grove Avenue, with a head of a girl, won second prize, a $2.50 purchase order.

WOODS CLOSED INDEFINITELY

State Game Wardens have notified the Wilmington Police that all woods are closed, indefinitely to hunting and trapping. Fishing is permitted from boats, only if access to the boats can be had without going through the woods.

MAPLE MEADOW SCHOOL MOLESTED

Police were called to the Maple Meadow School, to investigate malicious damage, at 1:40 p.m. October 31st. Nothing apparantly, was taken, but books were scattered around, and other damage done. Entry was made through a window

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Oh, yes I was picked. "Fireman of the week," last week.

My complete new address is:

Cpl. Walter Canelas, 811th Inst. Sq., Turner Air Force Base, Albany, Georgia., Fire Dept. No. 1.

P.S. Many thanks and hoping to be home at Christmas.

One of the most responsible men on Turner, in terms of fire prevention, is A-2C Walter Canelas, fireman of the Week.

The 22-year old airman from Wilmington, Mass., is the man in charge of refilling and charging over 2,000 fire extinguishers on Turner, located in all buildings and other strategic points. His job includes the intimate knowledge of the workings of all types of extinguishers, including Co2, soda and acid, C2C and foam. These must be refilled after each use and recharged at regular periods to retain their effectiveness.

Airman Canelas enlisted in the Air Force in July, 1951, in nearby Lowell, and went through basic training at Sampson, AFB. In September, 1951, he got his orders for Turner and the 811th Installations squadron. For nine months, Canelas underwent crash instruction training on the flight line and later became a fire crew chief before taking over his present position three months ago.

BERTON RICE HOME

Berton Rice, of Linda Road, is now home, after four years of service in the Air Force. Rice, who was a sargent in the Air Force, spent 9 months in Korea, before returning to the United States.

AMERICAN LEGION CHOW NIGHT—THURSDAY

The monthly chow night, for the American Legion, will be held in the Legion Hall, on the 6th of November. A Chinese Special is promised, under the care of Past Commanders Barnard McMahon and Jack Tautges.

KOBYLIS SERVING IN KOREAN WATERS

Gus Kobylis, of Phillips Avenue, is on board an Aircraft Carrier, serving in Korean waters. His address is A. J. Kobylis, Fc3, F Div. USS Kearsarge, CV 33, FPO, San Francisco, California.

NO SCHOOL MONDAY AND TUESDAY

There will be no school, in the Wilmington schools, next Monday and Tuesday, the 10th and 11th of November.

WILMINGTON GIRLS BEAT TEWKSBURY

The Wilmington High School Girl's hocky team came up with a surprising 1 to 0 victory over their rival Tewksbury High on the Common last Wednesday afternoon.

In a previous game these teams battled to a 1 to 0 tie game but this recent win gave the Wilmington girls the edge for the present season, in addition it became their first win in field hockey in many years.

Although the score was held down to 1 to 0, the Wilmington girls played a finer brand of offensive hockey and had the ball in Tewksbury territory most of the game.

Jean Ashworth carried the ball from midfield and took a shot on the goalie and Patricia Bennett recovered the rebound and scooped it into the goal for the margin of victory.

Defensively, Co-Captains Joan Baker and Verlie Eaton stood out for the Wilmington combine while Miss Lawler the right wing for the Tewksbury team gave a fine demonstration in her teams cause.

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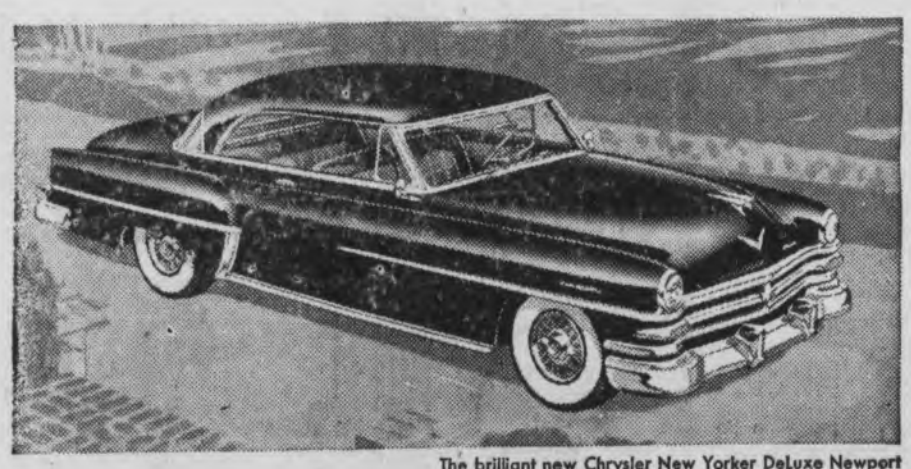
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SHELLEY HELD IN LIEU OF 10,000 BAIL

Michael F. Shelley, 38, of Butters Row is held in East Cambridge jail, in lieu of $10,000 bail, set when he pleaded not guilty to a charge of assult with intent to murder.

On Saturday morning, at 2:15 a.m. Sgt. Sidelinker of the Wilmington police, was called by neighbors of the Shelley family, on Butters Row. The neighbors reported that they had been awakened by screaming from the Shelley home.

Mrs. Dorothy Murray Shelley, 32, was found bludgeoned, in her bed, and suffering from a fractured skull and broken nose, as well as a fractured jaw.

Police started an immediate search for Shelley, who had been last seen wearing a blue coat jacket and light brown pants. Shelley, a cripple as a result of an accident several years ago, was thought to be hiding in nearby woods. The woods were scoured, without results, while alarms were cast statewide by the State Police.

Mrs. Shelley the mother of five small children, was taken to the Choate Memorial Hospital, in Woburn, where her name was placed on the danger list.

The State Police notified the Wilmington police at 6:30 p.m. that Shelley had walked into the police station of Hartford, Conn., and surrendered. He stated to the Hartford police that he would waive rendition, and return.

Chief of Police Lynch, Officers Imbimbo and Shepard started for Hartford in the Chief's car at 9 p.m.

Shelley was found to havehitchhiked to Hartford. He was without his crutches and had to be carried by the Wilmington police. In the return ride, Shelley disclaimed all knowledge of the event, and said that his mind was a blank. He was reported to have stated that he thought a flat iron had been used, on his wife.

Shelley was lodged in the Woburn jail at 4:30 a.m. Sunday, and the Wilmington police returned home.

Shelley was questioned in Woburn jail, Sunday, by Asst. District Attorney Eddie Viola of Medford, and Lt. Meade of the State Police.

When arraigned in Woburn Court, Shelley pleaded not guilty to a charge of assult with intent to murder, and was remained in $10,000 bail, for action by the Grand Jury.

It is reported that Shelley has been a patient, on several occassions, in the Worcester State Hospital.

Mrs. Shelley, meanwhile, has improved slightly, according to reports from the Choate Memorial Hospital.

Chief of Police Lynch and District Attorney Thompson are to appear before the Granl Jury today to ask for an indictment on a charge of Assult with attempt to Murder.

DRAIN BY POST OFFICE TO BE ENLARGED

$4000 has been allocated by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Department of Public Works, for the purpose of enlarging the drain which flows under Main Street, near the Wilmington Post Office.

Work is expected to start this week.

NO INFORMATION FROM ATTORNEY GENERAL

The Board of Selectmen, Monday night, questioned the Town Manager as to whether or not he had any information from the Attorney General's office, regarding action against Harriman's Tannery. The TM told the Selectmen that he had received no knowledge.

CULVERTS AND FENCES TO RECEIVE ATTENTION

TM Cushing told the Board of Selectmen, Monday night, that he is preparing contracts and specifications for culverts and fences in Wilmington. He hopes to be able to stockpile a few culverts, so as to have them on hand for work as it develops. Some work has been done on repairing fences, and more is to be done. The fence on Middlesex Avenue, across from St. Thomas Church has been repaired, and the fence on Burlington Avenue, near Mill Brook is to be repaired before winter sets in, the TM stated.

BIG LIGHT INSTALLED OPPOSITE HIGH SCHOOL

The Municipal Light Department of the Town of Reading has installed a large street light opposite the driveway to the High School, this week, according to information from the TM. It is hoped he told the Selectmen, Monday night, that this light will be installed in time to be of assistance during the election, on Tuesday.

LAND PURCHASE DELAYS FIRE STATION

TM Cushing told the Selectmen Monday night, that he has been unable to complete the purchase of the land necessary for the site of the new Police and Fire Station. He has been in communication with respopnsible persons on several occasions, but thus far has not been unable to complete the deal. Cushing emphasized that it was not through lack of effort on his part that the fire station was being held up.

BOARD OF APPEALS TURNS DOWN YENTILE

Joseph Yentile, of Cross Street, who made an application to the Board of Appeals, several weeks ago, for the right to build on 4 lots on Lowell treet, with individual frontage of 85 feet, has had his application refused by the Board.

The Board stated that they would not approve of buildings being built on lots of less than 100 feet frontage.

ABSENTEE BALLOTS CAST IN ELECTION

Wilmington citzens, from all over the world, cast ballots in the election, Tuesday. Up to 5 p.m. Monday, Mrs. Mary Gilligan, Town Clerk, had received 84 Absentee Ballots, for Tuesday's election.

JAMES J. McLAUGHLIN

James J. McLaughlin has been transferred from San Diego to El Centro, California. His address is 581 Olive Street, El Centro, Calif.

STANLEY STEWART

Stanley Stewart is now in Fort Knox, Kentucky. His address is Pvt. Stanley Stewart, RA 11259123 A Battery, 67th AFA Bn., CCR, 3rd Armored Division, Fort Knox, Kentucky.

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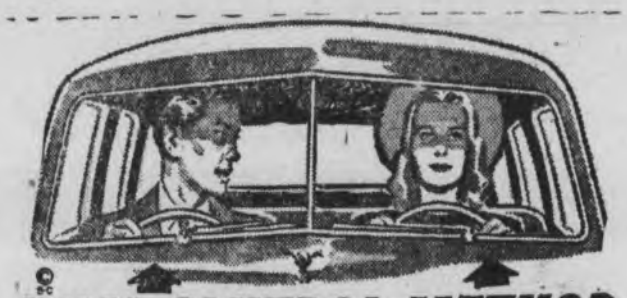

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UNION HEALTH PLAN COMMITTEE APPOINTED

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in Wilmington, and retired, on advice of his doctor, last June.

Mrs. Esther Nichols

Mrs. Esther Nichols, School Nurse for many years in the Town of Wilmington, is the second person named to this Board. Mrs. Nichols, a RN, has been active for many years in matters of public health and welfare, in Wilmington, and is one of the best known citizens of Wilmington.

Paul Metcalf

Paul Metcalf, 34 years old, and a graduate of Wilmington High School, class of '36, is another member of the committee. Long recognized for his interest in civic affairs, Mr. Metcalf has been President of the East Wilmington Betterment Association for two years, and is an outstanding citizen of East Wilmington. A sheet metal worker, Mr. Metcalf married the former Theda MacAdams of Somerville, and has one son, Paul, 4 years old.

Metcalf served 4 years and 7 months in the infantry, during the war, with most of his service being in the European Theatre. He was Platoon Sargent, and is now a member of the Wilmington Chapter of the DAV.

Philip Geoffrion

Philip Geoffrion, 37, of Chapman Avenue, North Wilmington, has lived in Wilmington for several years, moving here from the place of his birth, West Springfield. A graduate of Williston Academy, in Easthampton, and of the University of Massachusetts, Geoffrion is a Civil Engineer, employed by the Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and has had much experience in public works.

Married to the former Mary Merrill, of Winthrop, the couple have one son, William, who is an Airman 3rd Class in the Air Force, and is expected home in a few days, for leave prior to leaving for European duty.

Geoffrion served in the Sea Bees, during the war, in the Aleutians, South Pacific and Japan. He is a member of the Hathaway Acres Betterment Association.

Anthony A. Meads

Anthony Meads, 39, is the last person named on this committee. He has lived in Wilmington since last December, and has already made quite a reputation for himself, because of his interest in civic affairs. He lives on Main Street, near Mass. Avenue, in the Silver Lake district.

Born in Provincetown, Meads works for the Elliott Addressing Company, in Cambridge as a tool and die maker. He moved to Wilmington because of the insistance of Mrs. Meads, the former Julia Camerlengo, who had lived here some years ago. The Meads state that they have found the people of Wilmington to be the nicest that they ever met, and they like it here very much.

Meads interest in civic affairs has been manifested in several ways. He is a director of the Silver Lake Betterment Association, and a Committeeman, for the Wilmington Boy Scouts. He is also acting temporarily as Cub-master for the Silver Lake pack of Cub Scouts.

Mr. and Mrs. Meads have four children, Paul, 10, John 9, Steven, 8, and Leslie Ann, a cute little girl of 3.

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CONGREGATIONAL FAIR

The annual Congregational Fair, which will be called this year "The Holiday Bazaar," will take place on November 13th and 14th. This will be the first Fair to use the facilities of the new parish house, so that the overcrowding of past years will be done away with.

Christmas shoppers are asked to take note that practically all of their Christmas needs can be taken care of at the many attractive tables, which will be set up in the first floor of the parish house.

The bazaar will be open at 11 a.m. on Thursday the 13th. A public luncheon will be served by the East Branch in the vestry at 12:30, and tickets may be reserved from Mrs. Walter Bennett (phone 2548.) Afternoon tea will be served from two o'clock on until the closing hour at 5:30. The program for school children will be presented at 3:30 p.m., and it will be given by Mrs. Robert Sweet's kindergarten children and other local children.

On Friday the 14th and opening hour will be 1:30 p.m. and tea will again be served from two o'clock on. At 6:45 p.m. the North Branch will serve the usual supper, tickets for which may be obtained from Mrs. Herbert Thrush (phone 2264). The Fair will close with the program which follows this supper. It will be given by Mrs. Dorothy Dower, and its title is "Dorothy and Her Hats."

WILMINGTON METHODIST CHURCH NEWS

Friday, November 7 the building sub-committee of the Methodist Church will mett at the home of Mr. Frazer Butt at 8:00 p.m.

Saturday morning, November 8, the Rev. O. A. Maxfield will address a conference gathering of youth at Rolling Ridge, Methodist Conference Center in North Andover, Mass.

Sunday, November 9, Church School classes will be held beginning at 9:15 a.m. Morning worship will be observed in the sanctuary at 11:00 a.m. During this service small children will be cared for in the nursery. The pastor will preach on the subject: "Time The Deceiver." The choir will provide special music.

Sunday evening at 5:00 p.m. the Junior Youth Fellowship will meet at the church at 5:00 p.m. At 7:00 p.m. the Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet at the church. Mrs. Malcolm Butler will speak on the missionary activity of the church. The Adult Fellowship will meet at 8:30 p.m. at the home of Mr. William Russell. The fourth in a series of discussions on the "Life of Jesus", will be held.

Wednesday, November 12, members of the young adults will meet at the church at 8:00 p.m. A discussion will be lead by the pastor on the subject "Psychology of Religion." Recreation and refreshments will follow the meeting.

Thursday, November 13, the hobby club will meet at 7:00 p.m. Choir rehearsal will be held at 8:00 p.m. The Methodist Men's Club will meet at 8:00 p.m. The Rev. Jack Tuel, new pastor of the So. Tewksbury Methodist Church will be the speaker. All men of the community are invited to atend.

BOY SCOUTS

Troop 2 of Wilmington Boy Scouts held their annual Halloween party on November 1st. The Girl Scouts were invited to share the fun, and more girls than boys were presene. 35 Girl Scouts, and 25 Boy Scouts. Gomes and dancing were enjoyed, and Mrs Paula Rice, the Girl Scout leader, did a very good job of getting the Boy Scouts out on the floor, during the dancing.

The Boy Scouts express their thanks to Charles Gove, Cubmaster who donated a record player, and lent his time to make the party a success, and to the wonderful work of the Girl Scout Leaders, under Mrs Rice.

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I advise you to first see the Supt. of Street, Jimmy White. Mr. White will make an estimate of the cost of repairs. You will have to deposit this amount of money with the Town Treasurer, before any work can be done.

The Highway Department will then come and fill and grade the street. No surface coating can be applied. If there is money left, after the work is done it will be refunded.

I might add, at this time, that I feel that I have the power to have small jobs done, in cases where school children have to use the street, and the Board of Selectmen concur in this belief. In such a case, where there might be a mud hole, for instance, the Highway Department can dump a load or two of gravel—but no more than three loads, in order to make things easier for the children.

Dear Mr. Cushing: We have seen large industries come into town. Do you do anything about small industries?

Ans.: I feel that small industries are just as important as large ones. Many large industries started in a small way, and the Town will do everything possible to help a small industry get started.

Right now I am looking for a one acre plot of land, adjacent to the railroad, for a small industry that would like to locate here. This acre must be in the right industrial zone. It must be available within two weeks. The industry wants to erect a warehouse, of about 6000 square feet, for the furniture industry. They want to bring in carloads lots of furniture parts and store them in this warehouse. I would appreciate it if anyone with an acre of land, as described, to sell, would let me know about it.

WILMINGTON 7 JOHNSON 0

Wilmington's revitalized football team plunged on to another victory, last weekend by defeating Johnson High of North Andover. A touchdown, in the last few moments of the game, did the trick.

For the first three quarters of the game, Wilmington and Johnson fought each other to a scoreless tie. The fourth quarter saw Gene Hovey throw a 20 yard pass, from midfield, to Buzzy Businеau. After receiving, Buzzy galloped another 30 yards, to make the touchdown and the game. Frank Spear kicked the extra point.

The team showed an excellent spirit, with every player doing a splendid job. High School fans are now rooting for the Tewksbury game, at the Town Park, — next Tuesday, November 11th. This, the fans say, is the last game of the year, and the game that must be won!

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ST. THOMAS NEWS

Sunday Masses

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At Villanova Hall: - 8:30.

At Silver Lake Mission: - 8:45; 10:45.

Daily Mass: - 8:00

First Friday occurs this week. The Masses on Friday will be at 6 and 8. Holy Communion also at 7:30. Devotions in honor of the Sacred Heart will be held Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

Confessions - Thursday at 7:30 p.m. Saturday at 4:00 and 7:30 p.m.; Silver Lake at 3:30 before the Masses on Sunday.

The Holy Name Society with all the men of the parish observe Communion Sunday, NEXT Sunday. The Holy Name Society meeing will be held after the 8:30 Mass in Villanova Hall. We look forward to a very successful year of meetings. Come to the meeting and invite another parishioner to come with you. Our Holy Name Society is very much alive. You witnessed their activity in the Paper Drive, the Forty Hours Devotion and their recent Halloween Party. Our greetings to a fine body of Catholic Men!

Speaker Ralph Chamber, former coach of tennis at West Point for 16 years present professional at Longwood Tennis Club. Special guests-coaches and players of Wilmington High Football Team.

St. Thomas Court, C.B.A. - celebrated its Fifth Anniversary last Tuesday evening at a banquet in our parish hall. The Committee headed by Mrs. Provenzano is to be congratulated for a most enjoyable evening. Very Rev. Richard Roger S.M., Superior of the Marist Seminary was the guest speaker.

Thanksgiving Turkey Whist—Are you keeping the date in mind? It will be held on Tuesday, November 25th at Villanova Hall. Mrs. Kelley's Committee has plans for a very attractive party.

DAV BANQUET SATURDAY

The First Annual Bauquet of the Disabled American Veterans, William F Tattersall Chapter 106, is to be held in the High School Cafeteria at 8 p.m. Staurday.

Selectman Joseph H. Wood is to be presented with an award, by James Sayer, D.A.V. National Service Officer.

There will be dancing, after the banquet, until midnight. Joseph J. Sottile is General Chairman of the Banquet.

JUNE PROVOST PLAYS IN JORDAN HALL

June Provost, 12 Dewey Avenue, Wilmington, Massachusetts, student at the New England Conservatory of Music, played in the section of the Conservatory Orchestra, Malcolm Holmes, conductor, in the first Concert of the 1952-1953 season, in Jordan Hall, Boston, Mass., on October 14th.

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MACHINE SHOP PLANNED FOR NORTH WILMINGTON

Plans have been prepared, and construction is to be started soon, according to the plans, for a machine shop, in North Wilmington.

On land owned by Leo A. Donovan, of Lynnfield, between Shady Lane Drive and the Boston and Main Railroad, a modern machine shop is to be erected, for specialty tool and die work, and precision machinery. Donovan, who is the owner of another enterprise, in Woburn, the L. A. Donovan Company, of Webster Street, states that this is to be an entirely separate business, to be known as Mytron, Inc. Donovan owns 97,000 square feet, in this plot of land.

Donovan started his Woburn enterprise six years ago, in Bowdoin Square, Boston, and moved to Woburn about 3 years ago. There he has built a modern plant, which does specialty electric plating for electronics, and similar industries. The L. A. Donovan Company ships its products to all parts of the United States.

Mytron, a seperate enterprise, will be employing about 5 people, all precision machinists, after the building has been erected, and it is hoped that about 25 persons will be employed there, within a year or two.

Donovan, with Joseph W. Kelleher, presented his plans to the Board of Appeals, in a hearing, Monday night. A building of cement blocks, 30 feet from the railroad, and 50 feet from Middlesex Avenue, is to be built. It will be 30 feet wide, 50 feet long, and parallel to the railroad. A right of way will be made between the building and the railroad, and parking facilities will be provided on the lot. Francis Pottle & Son of Lynnfield have a contract to erect the building.

Donovan described the work to be done as "Die making for electronic components," to the Board of Appeals, and said that this type of work was a peace time project, and not necessarily "war work." He said that he expected no noise, and no odor from the plant. All work in the plant will result, he believes, from out of town orders.

There was no opposition, to Donovan's plan, and the Board took the case under advisement.

CONGREGATIONAL

The semi-annual meeting of the Woburn District will be held at the First Congregational Church in Woburn, commencing at 10:30 a.m.

The North Branch will meet at the home of Mrs. Charles Allgrove Jr., on Thursday at 1 p.m. for a luncheon meeting.

The monthly meeting of the church cabinet will be held at the parsonage on Thursday at 8 p.m.

Tht Fireside Fellowship will hold a hayride on Friday evening, leaving the parsonage at 7:00 and returning to the vestry for a party.

The finance committee will hold its monthly meeting next Tuesday evening at 8:00.

The East Branch evening group met at the home of Mrs. Frank Melanson on October 28th, in a setting of Halloween decorations. Pans were made for the annual Fair. Another meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Ralph Babcock on Tuesday, November 4th.

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Dear J. M. H.

What you hear is referred to as "corona." To obtain the brightness on the picture tube in a TV set, a high voltage of 10,000 to 45,000 volts is employed. A voltage of this magnitude has a tendency to arc to surrounding objects, especially if the contact at which the high voltage is available is sharp pointed. To support an arc, the voltage must be high enough to break down the air between the two points described. During rainy and damp weather, the humidity will decrease the resistance of the air between the high voltage point and the surrounding objects, causing the arcing to be more prevalent.

To eliminate this condition, we spray the high voltage components with a Plastic Spray that makes them water-proof. T is not only stops the arcing, but increases the longevity of the high voltage parts.

Sincerely,
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